Biodiesel conference to be held in Douglas

Wyoming agriculture producers have the opportunity to attend a conference about alternative crops used in biodiesel production.

The conference will be held October 13 in the McKibben Cafeteria at the Wyoming State Fairgrounds in Douglas.

In addition to teaching producers about the basics of biodiesel, the conference will feature a variety of experts who will address such topics as "Cropping Opportunities for Oilseed Production" and "Economics of Oilseed Production." There will also be two panel discussions; one geared toward producers growing crops for biodiesel and the other targeted at companies engaged in biodiesel production.

The public is invited to attend the conference, but each participant must submit a registration form. The conference is free to those who register before October 10. Contact the Wyoming Department of Agriculture at (307) 777-6569 to obtain a registration form.

The conference is sponsored by the Wyoming Department of Agriculture, Wyoming Rural Development Council, Wyoming Business Council, Rocky Mountain Farmers Union Cooperative Development Center and CANDO.

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